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In reply to the Notice to Comply with Sequence Requirements mailed August 1, 2001, enclosed is a sequence listing in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 through 1.825 and consisting of five pages.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c), the sequence listing appears as a separate part of the application and is found after the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney. Each sequence in the application appears separately in the sequence listing. And each sequence in the sequence listing is assigned a separate sequence identifier.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(d), the sequence identifiers are used throughout the application description and claims to refer to their respective sequences.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e), enclosed is a diskette containing a copy of the sequence listing in computer readable form.

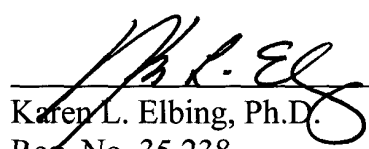
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